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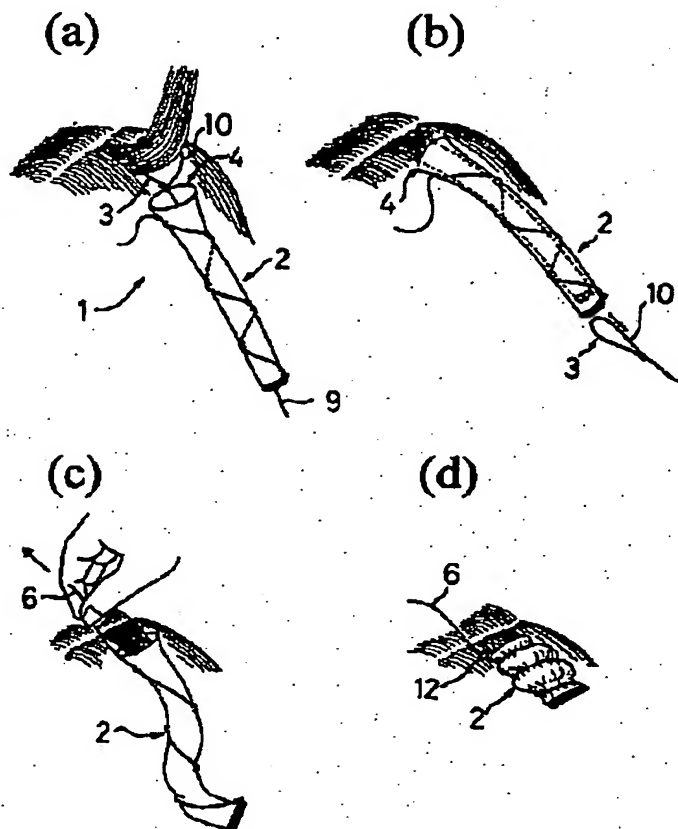
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TITLE : HAIR TREATMENT DEVICE



ABSTRACT : • PROBLEM TO BE SOLVED: To provide a hair treatment device which can easily and quickly put hair into a cylinder body in a short time.

SOLUTION: This hair treatment device is equipped with a hair retainer with a hair intake part on one end and made of a slender flexible material, a hair inserter to insert hair into the hair retainer, and a winder to wind up the hair retained in the hair retainer into a prescribed shape and bend or fold the hair. The method to treat hair comprises the steps of retaining a prescribed volume of hair into the hair retainer of the hair treatment device with the hair retainer enabled to retain hair, and then winding up hair retained in the hair retainer by a prescribed winding means equipped on the hair retainer to bend or fold the hair.

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